

Save the Children's Micro Emergency Fund (MEF) Final Report

Location in oPt: Deir El-Balah	MEF report - reference # <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Final – one month after project end date No. of target beneficiaries Direct Child (M/F): 53 boys and 69 girls = 122 in total Direct Adult (M/F): 157 male and 209 female = 366 in total No. of beneficiaries reached Direct Child (M/F): 51 boys and 67 girls = 118 in total Direct Adult (M/F): 155 male and 207 female = 362 in total
Amount (USD): 20,000	
Project Title: Rehabilitation of Family Toilets of Sever Poverty Category in the Beach Camp	
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1. Current project context

- **Identify any progress/changes in context since project commencement**

Upon the project commencement, hygienic situation and sanitary conditions improved due to the comprehensive renovation and repair of toilets of poor families in the Beach Camp. In the past, dirty toilets were the main cause of many diseases among children and adults in the camp as reported by the local clinics in the camp.

People were very happy having their old dirty toilets rehabilitated and renovated. Behavioural attitude of children and adults were positively changed. Now, they have modern toilets with proper flushing system and ceramic tiling at the 4 walls of the toilets.

The principles of DRR were applied making best use of the Save the Children standards. Local community were involved at all stages of the implementation as to feel ownership. Targeted families were very enthusiastic with the project team and most of them have volunteered in some work. Targeted families were selected as of severe poverty and selection criteria was coordinated with community committees according to proper and transparent selection criteria.

2. Objectives and Outcomes reflected by indicators

2.1 How were the project objectives achieved?

Project objectives were achieved compared with the proposed activities as the following:

- Hygienic and sanitary conditions of the 60-targeted families in the Beach Camp improved;
- Public health and environmental sanitation of 118 children + 362 adults of the targeted families protected;
- Sanitary fittings, accessories, flushing system and toilet ceramic tiles rehabilitated and repaired and became hygienic and healthy for the 60-targeted families use;
- Families function their daily lives smoothly and properly as a result to the new repaired toilets;
- Completion of rehabilitation and renovation of unhygienic and unsanitary toilets have resulted in getting rid of mosquitoes, roaches, insects and other bad smell.

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2.2 What changes occurred as a result of the intervention?

Intervention	Result	Comments
Recruitment of steering committee: coordinator/volunteer and 3 social workers and photographer/volunteer	Steering committee selected;	Selection of staff were through competitive process
The 60-targeted families selected according to the selection criteria	A list of 60 families in place	Community committees involved in the selection process of the 60 families
Sanitary toilet chairs, flushing system, washing sink, water and waste water networks and small ceramic tiling to the toilet walls and other needed accessories and fittings were supplied according to the tender results awarded to the successful bidder.	Toilets of the 60-targeted families repaired and rehabilitated through installation of new toilet chairs, ceramic toilets, washing sinks, flushing system and sewage network, other sanitary accessories and fittings;	-Repair work has been completed according to the bill of quantities and cost estimates. -Technical assistant and supervision were made available by the coordinator with some assistant from volunteers in the Camp.

2.3 How did the outcome perform against the indicators?

Outcomes	Indicators
Diseases linked to unhygienic and unsanitary conditions at the toilets reduced and public health of the 60-targeted families improved.	-Behavioural attitude and unhygienic conditions of the 60-targeted families enhanced. -Families use flushing system with less worry giving the newly repaired sewage network
Financial expenses for rehabilitation and repair of toilets of the 60-targeted families saved for other family basic needs.	- Less financial burdens on poor families; - Families enjoy clean and healthy toilets.

3. Documentation and communication of the response

3.1 How was the response documented?

The response has been documented through the following means:

- Follow up reports on a daily base by the project coordinator, photographer, social workers and volunteers in the Beach Camp;
- Random interviews with the 60-targeted families in the Camp to document their reaction and satisfaction on the quality of repair of their toilets and the new healthy sanitation environment created;
- Photos and quotes from the camp;
- Video clip to highlight achieved objectives and success stories of the project.

3.2 Is there any external communications material available?

No

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3.3 Please add pictures from the response and possible delivery of support.
Plz see pictures below as shown in the table documenting project activities including clip

3.4 Please add potential quotes and/or case study as annex to the final report.
The first quote:

I am a mother of 50 years old used to have a real hygienic and sanitation problems everytime I use the toilet. After repair and rehabilitation of our toilet I can access the toilet smoothly. Behaviral attitude of my children quietly improved given the new chair, sink, flushing system and ceramic tiles installed.

The second quote:

Sara is a disabled girl of 8 years old from the Beach Camp. Sara used to experience great difficult accessing toilet properly. After repair and rehabilitation of family toilet, Sara can easily access toilets and her suffering reduced as a results.

4. Monitoring & Evaluation

- **Describe how the project was monitored and how this information informed operations**

Project activities were monitored through project coordinator, social workers, photographer and volunteers from the Beach Camp. Data was collected daily from the field, feedback from the targeted families in the Beach Camp were also collected and their requests for certain types of repair were considered and made avaialbe.

5. Lessons Learned and Accountability

- **What lessons can be learnt from this humanitarian response to inform future responses?**

Rehabilitation, renovation and repair of family toilets are the most important action concerned with public health, hygienic sanitation and protection against diseases. These actions were prioritized and addressed by local community specially poor families as the top emergency response needed by families in the camp.

Additional request set at the top priorties by the families was rehabilitation, renovation and repair of family kitchens given the deterioration and unhygienic status these kitchens are.

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6. How did you address complaints? How were they collated and actioned? (eg. Focus groups, child participation, civil society engagement, local partners and local state actors.)

Complaints were addressed through regular community coordination meeting at the camp, three focus group discussions were facilitated in order to get community feedback and measure their satisfaction on rehabilitation and repair activities of family toilets. Civil society was involved at all stages of the project starting from selection of beneficiaries, choice of different repair activities and implementation including follow up and monitoring. This gives the feeling of ownership of the community giving the hard task assigned to them and they felt responsible and key players of one of the most chronic problems affecting poor people in the Beach Camp.

7. Financial Report - overview

Detailed financial report (in the budget template), including procurement process documentation, goods received notes & payments requests etc. will also have to be annexed.

Financial description	Budgeted amount (USD)	Actual amount spent (USD)	Actual %
Micro Emergency Response activity	18,300	18,291.4	99.95%
Local staff	750	750	100%
Local Administration	850	847.5	99.70
Evaluation and documentation	100	100	100%
Contingencies	0	0	
Total	20,000	19,988.9	99.94%

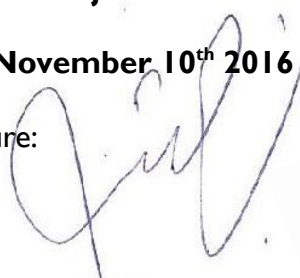
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Family toilet before repair/ renovation



An open area reserved as family toilet as unhygienic and unsanitary facility



Family toilet after renovation and rehabilitation



Rehabilitation and renovation process

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Family toilet (sink) after renovation and rehabilitation



Family toilet after renovation and rehabilitation



Family toilet after renovation and rehabilitation



Family toilet after renovation and rehabilitation